

NOTICE OF VIRTUAL PUBLIC MEETING AND COMMENT PERIOD

The State of Connecticut Department of Housing

Draft

State of Connecticut Consolidated Plan for Housing and Community Development and
2020-2021 Annual Action Plan for Housing and Community Development

A five (5) day public-examination and comment period will begin on Thursday, September 3, 2020 and end on Tuesday, September 8, 2020. The Department of Housing is seeking public comment and input on the Draft State of Connecticut Consolidated Plan for Housing and Community Development and the Draft 2020-2021 Annual Action Plan for Housing and Community Development. These funds currently include funding for Small Cities/Community Development Block Grant (SC/CDBG) program in the amount of \$13,851,472, Emergency Solutions Grants (ESG) in the amount of \$2,366,278, Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA) in the amount of \$265,668, HOME funds in the amount of \$9,447,328 and the National Housing Trust Fund in the amount of \$3,750,859

The Department of Housing will conduct a VIRTUAL PUBLIC HEARING on September 3, 2020 beginning at 11:00 AM and ending when all attendees have had an opportunity to comment. Please be aware that this virtual public hearing will be recorded, and posted on the Department's website after its completion. If you or your organization is interested in participating in the VIRTUAL PUBLIC HEARING, please send an e-mail to CT.HOUSING.PLANS@ct.gov with "*Virtual Public Hearing – Draft Consolidated Plan and Annual Action Plan*" in the "Subject" line. An E-mail link will be sent to all registered participants using the Microsoft TEAMS application.

DOH will also accept electronic comment on the administration of these programs through September 8, 2020 at CT.HOUSING.PLANS@ct.gov. All comments received will be summarized with responses in the final version of the Consolidated Plan and Annual Action Plan. For copies of the Draft 2020-2024 Consolidated Plan for Housing and Community Development and the Draft 20-21 Annual Action Plan, please refer to the Department of Housing's website, <http://www.ct.gov/doh> under POLICY & RESEARCH.

Department of Housing programs are administered in a nondiscriminatory manner, consistent with equal employment opportunities, affirmative action, and fair housing requirements. Questions, concerns, complaints or requests for information in alternative formats must be directed to Heidi Gray, HR Specialist, Department of Administrative Services - Small Agency Resource Team 860-713-5028/860-270-8022.

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